2009 End-of-Year Transaction Processing

December 15 — The deadline for the TSP to receive a request for an annual change in monthly payments is December 15. This deadline applies only to participants who are in monthly payment status.

December 25 — The stock and bond markets will be closed on Friday, December 25, because of the Christmas holiday. Because December 25 is a Federal holiday, the TSP will also be closed. Transactions that would have been processed Friday night (December 25) will be processed Monday night (December 28), at Monday's closing share prices.

December 28 — TSP monthly payments that are normally scheduled to be disbursed December 29, 2009, through December 31, 2009, will be processed on December 28, along with the December 28 payments that are regularly scheduled for that date. For income tax purposes, these payments will be reported to the Internal Revenue Service as income for 2009.

December 29, 30, and 31 — Withdrawals made on December 29, 30, and 31 will be reported to the Internal Revenue Service as income for 2010.

January 1 — The stock and bond markets will be closed on Friday, January 1, 2010, because of the New Year's holiday. Because January 1 is a Federal holiday, the TSP will also be closed. Transactions that would have been processed Friday night (January 1) will be processed Monday night (January 4), at Monday's closing share prices.

The TSP will be closed on both December 25, 2009, and January 1, 2010.

We wish all of you a safe and happy holiday season.